

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No.: 10/714,208  
Applicants: Catherine L. Funderburk, et al.  
Filed: November 16, 2003  
Art Unit: 1771  
Examiner: Daniel Zirker  
Title: TEAR INDICATOR FOR TAPE

Confirmation No. 2548

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**THIRD RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 26, 2006**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 26, 2006, the Advisory Action dated December 8, 2006 and the Advisory Action dated January 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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